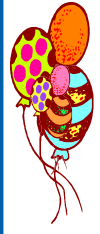


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STATE AND LOCAL NEWS

◆ BIG CHANGES FOR ATHENS SCHOOLS

The Athens School Board has voted to drop the 9th grade at Athens Junior High School effective July 1, 2011. Athens Junior High School will then become Athens Middle School, with grades 6 through 8. Ninth-graders will attend McMinn High School. The change also affects all other city schools. The School Board voted to close the Four Star Academy. Pre-K classes will be moved to City Park and Ingleside Schools, and 3rd grade classes will be moved from City Park and Ingleside to North City and Westside. The new structure will have pre-K through 2nd graders attending City Park and Ingleside. 3rd through 5th grade students will attend North City and Westside schools. The changes will take place with the start of the 2011 school year.

◆ VETERANS TO BE REMEMBERED

Tomorrow is Veterans Day. The annual ceremony will be held at the VFW Post on Congress Parkway in Athens starting at 11 a.m. with a KC-135 Stratotanker fly-over. The guest speaker will be Lt. Col. (Retired) Paul Willson. The McMinn County High School Choir will sing. A special plaque will be presented to the 134th Air Refueling Wing. The public is invited to attend.

NATIONAL-WORLD NEWS

◆ Former President George W. Bush says he still feels "sick" that no weapons of mass destruction were found in Iraq. He also said he should have landed Air Force One two days after Hurricane Katrina instead of viewing the destruction through the plane's window. The former president appeared yesterday on the Rush Limbaugh radio show and on "The Oprah Winfrey Show" to promote his new memoir "Decision Points."

◆ President Obama, during his visit to his boyhood home of Jakarta, Indonesia, expressed deep concern that the Israelis and Palestinians are not making the "extra effort" to make a breakthrough toward achieving Middle East peace.

◆ Two tugboats are slowly towing a cruise ship that was stranded off the coast of Mexico when an engine room fire cut its power. The Carnival Splendor has 4,500 passengers and crew on board. No one was hurt, but the ship had no air conditioning or hot water. The ship will be towed into a Mexican port.

◆ San Francisco has become the first major U.S. city to pass a law that cracks down on the popular practice of giving away free toys with unhealthy restaurant meals for children. The law requires that kids' meals meet certain nutritional standards before they can be sold with toys.



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Pastor Harold McCowan of Overcoming Faith Christian Center will celebrate his 25th Pastoral Anniversary with a black tie dinner, on November 13, 2010 at 6:00 pm at The Colonnade located in Ringgold, Georgia. Tickets are \$50.00. Contact Robin Smith at 423-506-8027 for more information.

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Restaurant Inspection Scores

The following Athens restaurants and school cafeterias were inspected between September 29 and October 29. There was one failure.

- Stonehaus Deli & Bakery - 91**
- Riceville Elementary School - 91**
- Dominos - 90**
- Mike's Place - 90**
- McMinn County High School - 89**
- Taco Bell - 85**
- Asahi Japanese Grill - 83**
- Las Margaritas - 69**

The following Etowah restaurants were inspected in October:

- Shelby's Restaurant - 91**
- Michael's of Etowah - 88**

Obituaries

John Richard Moses, age 82, of Athens died Monday at Athens Regional Medical Center. He was a native of Atlanta and a resident of Athens for over 43 years. He was in a Gospel singing group and coached softball where he received an award for the "Oldest Coach." Funeral services will be at 8 p.m. Wednesday at Liberty Church of Jesus Christ, with visitation from 6 to 8 p.m. at the church. Ziegler Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Community News You Can Use...

- ✓ The Athens Area Community Chorus will host its fall concert, "Broadway and Beyond," this Saturday at 7 p.m. and Sunday at 4 p.m. at The Arts Center, 320 N. White Street. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for students.
- ✓ The Athens Parks and Recreation Department will hold a brick dedication this Sunday at 2 p.m. at Veterans Memorial Park. There will be 24 bricks dedicated at the ceremony and will bring the total to 3,610 bricks on the Veteran's Brick Walk.
- ✓ The Clearwater Volunteer Fire Department's annual Thanksgiving Dinner will be held this Sunday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at E.K. Baker School. Adults \$7, Children 12 and under \$5. Proceeds go to help the Clearwater Volunteer Fire Department help you.
- ✓ TWC will present a Financial Aid Workshop this Friday at 6:30 p.m. in the Glenn Lowe Dining Room to provide information about ways to finance a college education.

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